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## DIXON MAN FOREMAN APRIL GRAND JURY

JUDGE HEARD NAMED WILLIAM  
C. JONES HEAD OF INQUI-  
SITORIAL BODY.

SHOULD FINISH BY WEDNESDAY

Not Many Cases Have So Far Been  
Slated For Investigation  
By Jurors.

circuit court was convened at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, Judge O. E. Heard of Freeport presiding. It had been expected that Judge R. S. Far-  
rand of this city, who presided at the January term, would also be on the bench during the present sessions, but a change in plans late Saturday brought the Freeport jurist to the Dixon bench.

With the convening of court this afternoon the grand jury was called and Judge Heard appointed William C. Jones of Dixon foreman. States Attorney Edwards instructed the jurors and they retired to their room to begin their deliberations, electing Hubert Bahen of South Dixon as clerk.

It is not believed the grand jury will be in session later than Wednesday morning, as there are few cases for inquisition. States Attorney Edwards, by taking a majority of tenders into the county court on information, has kept criminal work for the circuit court down to the minimum, and but few cases have been held to the grand jury by justices during the last three months.

The dockets of both old and new cases will be called Wednesday at 10 a.m., when the trial list for the term will be made up.

## PREMIER RIBOT

He Calls Wilson Message  
"Red Letter" Day for France.

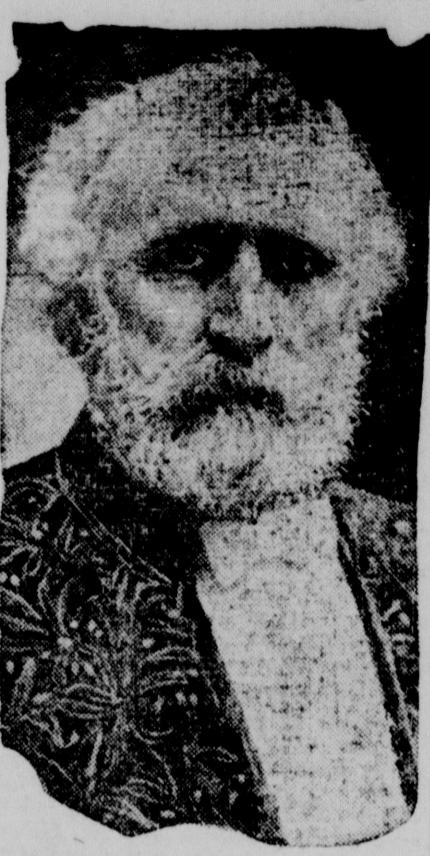


Photo by American Press Association.

"It is a red letter day for us," was Premier Ribot's comment on President Wilson's speech when the news reached Paris. In conversation with his friends the premier expressed the deep joy felt by everybody in France over the entry into the conflict of the great American democracy.

## SAY REFORM SHOULD NOT WAIT WARS END

### REPUBLICS FIGHTING FOR RIGHTS OF MAN

President Sends Message to  
Head of France.

Washington, April 9.—In response to President Poincaré's congratulation upon the entrance of the United States into the war, President Wilson sent this message:

"In this trying hour, when the destinies of civilized mankind are in the balance, it has been a source of gratification and joy to me to receive your congratulations upon the step which my country has been constrained to take in opposition to the relentless policy and course of imperialistic Germany.

"It is very delightful to us that France, who stood shoulder to shoulder with us of the western world in our struggle for independence, should now give us such a welcome into the lists of battle as upholders of the freedom and rights of humanity.

"We stand as partners of the noble democracies whose aims and acts make for the perpetuation of the rights and freedom of man and for the safeguarding of the true principles of human liberties. In the name of the American people I salute you and your illustrious countrymen."

### BRAZIL AFLAME WITH ANGER

Report of Captain of Torpedoed  
Steamer Brings Demand for Break.  
Rio Janeiro, April 9.—The entire  
Brazilian press demands a break with  
Germany as the result of the receipt  
of a telegram from the Captain of the  
Brazilian SS Parana, to the effect  
that the vessel was cannonaded by  
the German submarine after being tor-  
pedoed off Cherbourg.

The German legation has fully "packed up," and is prepared to de-  
part for Montevideo immediately after  
the rupture which is now believed in-  
evitable. The archives of the German  
envoy here will be handed over to the  
Spanish legation which will be asked  
to represent German interests in Bra-  
zil.

## TEAM RAN INTO CAR ONE HORSE KILLED

UNUSUAL RUNAWAY AT WOOSUNG—TEAM RACED I. C.  
FREIGHT TRAIN.

A runaway, in which a team of fine work horses crashed into an empty box car, knocking it off its trucks and killing one of the horses, took place in Woosung Friday morning when the team, which was the property of Jess Morris, became frightened while standing on the scales at the H. A. Parks office. They dashed north and turned to cross the I. C. tracks at the crossing, but a passing northbound freight train blocked their way and they turned and ran alongside the train. A string of cars on the siding at the north end of the Woosung railroad yards again blocked their passage and they attempted to run it between the cars and the moving train. The converging tracks brought them up against the empty box car with terrific force, the car being knocked off its trucks, the wagon reduced to kindling wood and one horse's back being broken.

## Adjutant General Dickson Busy on Plans For Raising Illinois Quota Of Volunteers

(Associated Press) president call for such an army. The Springfield, Ill., Apr. 9.—While on war strength of the Illinois guard is the surface Illinois military authorities are only marking time, awaiting called for, Illinois' quota would be the order of the war department to about 25,000 or 30,000, it is estimated to war strength or to proceed by military men here.

With present equipment at Camp Lincoln and the state fair grounds, the ceaseless activity of the big force of clerks and stenographers in the office of Adjutant General Frank S. Lowden, not more than 20,000 could be cared for, but it is said the state armament. General Dickson is the first forces would probably be sent out to his office in the morning and the do actual guard duty or to patrol the last to leave it at night, it is his pol-coastal points leaving room for raw to clear up every day's business recruits.

No intimation has been received by in his office at the state house as to how Adjutant General Dickson as to how a volunteer army would be raised.

It has been the custom in past wars

the mobilization point for Illinois quota of troops—cavalry, infantry or

guardsmen in the event of a call, and artillery—in order to balance the

it is expected that volunteers would force and also to draw on the

sources of the states proportionately.

## RICHARD OLNEY DEAD FORMER SEC. OF STATE

HIS FIRMNESS WITH GREAT BRIT-  
AIN IN VENEZUELA CASE  
WON OUT.

### ACTIVE IN CHICAGO R. R. STRIKE

Was Candidate for the Presidential  
Nomination in 1904  
Convention.

(Associated Press) Boston, Apr. 9.—Richard Olney, who served successively as Attorney General and Secretary of State during the administration of President Grover Cleveland, died at his home here last night. Although at the head of the state department for but one year and nine months, he won reputation as a statesman of force and ability. His greatest triumph was his successful insistence upon arbitration of the boundary dispute between Great Britain and Venezuela.

Imperturbably disregarding warnings that a rigid maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine might plunge the United States into war with Great Britain, President Cleveland and Secretary Olney carried out their own ideas of diplomacy. In the famous message sent through Ambassador Bayard to Lord Salisbury, British secretary of state for foreign affairs, Mr. Olney, premising inalienable right of the United States to intervene in questions affecting the territorial integrity of South American countries, said in part:

**His Strong Note.**  
"Great Britain both admits there is a controversy and that arbitration should be resorted to for its adjustment. But while up to that point her attitude leaves nothing to be desired, its practical effect is completely nullified by her insistence that the submission shall cover but a part of the territorial dispute; that as a condition of arbitrating her right to a part of the disputed territory the remainder shall be turned over to her. Upon what principle—except her feebleness as a nation—is Venezuela to be denied the right of having the claim heard and passed upon by an impartial tribunal? It is so because it will be so, seems to be the only justification Great Britain offers."

Although Lord Salisbury at first refused to submit to the American demand, upon further representations he receded from his attitude and agreed to arbitrate the entire dispute.

Mr. Olney's firmness previously had become familiar to the American public through his action in the big Chicago railroad strike and subsequent riots when as attorney general he upheld the right and duty of the government to employ troops to crush the disorder.

In refutation of charges that this attitude indicated his hostility to labor unions, Mr. Olney in a special brief filed in a federal court in Pennsylvania in the case of railroad trainmen's strike on the Reading railroad, only five months after the end of the Chicago strike, upheld the right of labor to organize and urged that all labor troubles should be arbitrated.

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**Was Good Lawyer.**

Mr. Olney was born in Oxford, Mass., in 1835. His father was a textile manufacturer and banker. In the years following his graduation from the Harvard Law School in 1858 Mr. Olney won high distinction in his profession and became an authority on matters of probate, trust and corporation law. His sole appearance in a public office before going to Washington was in 1875, when he served one term in the Massachusetts House of Representatives.

When, in 1894, he permitted the presentation of his name at the democratic national convention as a candidate for the presidential nomination he received 38 votes, including the solid support of the Massachusetts delegation. President Wilson urged him to accept appointment as ambassador to Great Britain and later offered him the position of governor of federal reserve board, but in each instance Mr. Olney declined.

His public utterances always commanded thoughtful attention and widespread comment. Long after his retirement from his comparatively brief career in public office Mr. Olney's counsels were eagerly sought by members of the democratic party.

### ATTENDED CHURCH IN POLO

Fifty-Three Members of the Dixon  
Knights Templar There Sunday

Fifty-three members of Dixon Com-  
mandery Knights Templar went to  
Polo Sunday in automobiles and at-  
tended services at the Presbyterian  
church. The Knights were in full uniform  
and the Polo church was beau-  
tifully decorated for the service. The  
sermon by Rev. Luke Steward was  
an excellent effort and was greatly  
enjoyed by the Dixon guests.

### ELKS WILL INSTALL

The installation of the new officers of Dixon Lodge No. 779, B. P. O. Elks will be held at the regular meeting at 7:30 o'clock this evening. Past Exalted Ruler John P. Devine will be

### ALL BIG WARS EXCEPT ONE BEGAN IN MONTH OF APRIL

With the exception of the war with Great Britain in 1812 every big war in which the United States has been involved started in April.

gan April 19, 1775, at Concord

the war of the revolution be-

gan April 24, 1846.

The Black Hawk war, great-

est conflict with Indian forces,

began April 21, 1831.

The civil war began with an

attack on Ft. Sumter April 12,

1861.

War with Spain was declared

April 21, 1898.

The war with Germany was

declared April 6, 1917.

## BRITISH ENDANGER GERMAN POSITIONS

HAVE ADVANCED OVER A TEN  
MILE FRONT FROM ARRAS TO LENS.

### RICH COAL FIELDS IN SECTION

Entirely New Phase of Operations Is  
Opened Up By This New  
Engagement.

(Associated Press)

The British have penetrated the German lines from Arras to Lens, approximately ten miles, have stormed the villages Hermies and Boursies, have captured Frenoy LaPetit and have advanced their lines southeast of Leverguir. The British elsewhere have penetrated the enemy's lines, making satisfactory progress and capturing a considerable number of prisoners," the official London statement adds.

An entirely new phase of operation in the western field is opened up by this new battle, which represents the greatest danger point for the Germans.

### Many Coal Fields.

The opening of this offensive move-  
ment was foreshadowed by aerial ac-  
tivities during the past three days,  
hundreds of airplanes being engaged  
on both sides. In the Lens region are  
many rich coal fields which the Ger-  
mans have been exploiting since they  
occupied the territory.

London, April 9.—British forces re-  
port considerable progress in the neighborhood of the Bapaume Cambrai road on a front of 3,000 yards north of the village of Louveguir. The capture of prisoners was reported near Ypres.

Several successful bombings by air-  
craft were also reported. Several hangars were said to have been de-  
stroyed.

## SUPREME COURT HAD MANY CASES TODAY

DECIDED SOME VERY IMPOR-  
TANT MATTERS IN DECIS-  
IONS GIVEN.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Apr. 9.—Federal au-  
thority to prosecute frauds in general  
and state elections and federal sena-  
tional primaries was materially re-  
stricted by the supreme court today,  
when federal indictments for the al-  
leged conspiracies in the 1914 Rhode  
Island congressional elections and the  
1916 senatorial primary in West  
Virginia were dismissed. The court  
decided that states and not the fed-  
eral government are authorized to act.

Regarding the control by patentees of the retail prices of their products the court pronounced as unlawful the "limited license" plan under which Victor talking machines and other products are distributed. In a similar suit of the Moving Picture Patents Co. against the Universal Film Man-  
ufacturing Co. and others, the court held invalid the restriction of the Pat-  
ents Co. upon the use of their com-  
petitors' films in its projecting ma-  
chines.

Oregon's law fixing the minimum wages for women was held constitu-  
tional by the supreme court and sim-  
ilar compulsory laws in a number of other states were upheld. The court  
also held as constitutional the Ore-  
gon law limiting the labor of men in  
mills, factories and manufacturing es-  
tablishments to ten hours a day, but  
permitting 13 hours' labor if time and  
a half is paid for overtime.

### LOCAL SPY RUMOR EXPLODED

### I.N.U. WOULD SELL MORE POWER

Asks Permission To Make Agreement  
With Marengo Concern.

(Special to Telegraph)

Springfield, Ill., Apr. 9.—The Illinois Northern Utilities Co. has filed a petition with the State Utilities com-  
mission asking for approval of an  
agreement with the Marengo Public  
Service Co. to sell electric power to  
the Marengo Co.

### NO MORE MAIL FOR GERMANY

Mail Matter to Central Powers Can-  
not Be Received At Office.

Postmaster Wm. F. Hogan this forenoon received a bulletin from Postmaster General Burleson to the effect that until further notice no mail addressed to Germany, Austria, Hungary, Luxembourg, Bulgaria or Turkey can be received. Mail so ad-  
dressed will be returned to the sender if a return card is attached, if not it will be sent to the dead letter office. The new ruling is a result of the state of war between the United States and Ger-  
many, through which country all the  
mail to the last four countries named  
must pass.

## MRS. WOODROW WILSON

President's Wife Joins  
Washington Red Cross.



Photo by American Press Association.

While her distinguished husband has been calling the nation to arms, Mrs. Wilson has been busy studying the volunteer aid work section of the District of Columbia Red Cross, which she joined recently. She has become enthusiastic over the work.

## GEN. WOOD TO RETAIN HIS POSITION IN EAST

Orders Transferring Him to  
South Are Recalled.

Washington, April 9.—General Leonard Wood is not to be transferred by the war department from the command of the department of the east with headquarters at New York, to Charleston, S. C.

Although orders for the transfer were issued by the department two weeks ago they will not go into effect.

The administration has changed its mind and General Wood will remain in command of the most important division of the army and if moved therefrom it will be to a place of even greater importance.

Inasmuch as the determination to demote Wood by giving him the least important command in the country was believed to be based upon political feeling, the fact that the government has abandoned its intentions, indicates that political considerations are not to be permitted

## MAYO TO COMMAND TONNAGE

This Amount Can Be Mobilized For Service in the Atlantic. Big Gun Broadside of 167 Tons.

FLEET OF 300: TO TOTAL 750,000

Reserve Battleships and Many Auxiliaries Are Ready to Be Put Into Commission.

NAVAL officers are waiting for orders to mobilize, and as soon as they are received the fleet in the Atlantic will be increased immediately by all the reserve battleships and many vessels of other types, including a large fleet of auxiliaries, the latter ranging in size from the motorboat submarine chaser to the finest of private steam yachts, such as J. P. Morgan's Corsair, Vincent Astor's Noma and scores of other noted pleasure craft.

The force which will be called into active service upon mobilization amounts to about 750,000 tons. It includes fourteen battleships of the dreadnaught type, thirty-two second line battleships, three armored cruisers, three scout cruisers, fifty-one destroyers and six divisions of submarine tenders.

The fourteen first line dreadnaughts, beginning with the fleet flagship Pennsylvania and ending with the 16,000-ton South Carolina, total in displacement 339,450 tons. In the main batteries of these ships which make up the four backbone divisions of the Atlantic fleet, are sixty-four fourteen-inch guns of the latest type, which hurl projectiles weighing 1,400 pounds and which, if necessary, could unite in a single broadside salvo of fourteen inch projectiles, the combined weight of which would be 89,600 pounds.

In addition to these fourteen inch batteries, there is also in the first line squadrons the same number of guns of the twelve inch type, which, firing in a single broadside, can hurl 55,680 pounds of projectiles, each weighing 870 pounds, at an enemy fleet. This gives to the first line ships a broadside fire in which the projectiles total in weight, per broadside, more than seventy-two tons, or, to be exact, 145,280 pounds.

The main batteries of the thirty-four second line battleships, the total tonnage of which is 329,858, embrace twenty-eight thirteen-inch and seventy-six twelve-inch guns, the former firing projectiles of 1,130 pounds and the latter 870 pounds. The thirteen inch broadside weight is therefore 31,640 pounds, or a little more than fifteen tons, while the weight of the twelve inch broadside in this second line totals 97,760 pounds, or not quite forty-nine tons. If all the big guns in both the first and second line divisions were fired at the same time the total weight of projectiles of the three major calibers would be 274,080 pounds, or approximately 167 tons.

Next in fighting strength to the battleships are the three armored cruisers operating with the active and reserve Atlantic organizations. Each of these vessels mounts a main battery of four ten-inch guns, firing projectiles weighing 510 pounds, and each mounts a secondary battery of sixteen guns of the six inch type.

### Fifty-one Destroyers Ready.

The destroyer force ready for instant service totals fifty-one vessels, of which forty-one are in the main torpedo flotillas and two are attached to the submarine divisions as tenders. The average speed of these little craft is about twenty-eight knots an hour, and the average battery consists of four four-inch or an equal number of three inch guns and four torpedo tubes.

Each destroyer is manned by about 100 officers and men. These are the ships which will be relied upon to protect the dreadnaughts and second line battleships from submarine attack in the event of hostilities, in addition to doing patrol duty along the transatlantic ship lanes leading from the principal Atlantic ports.

At present the submarine strength of the Atlantic fleet totals twenty-four vessels, but in the event of war another division of new L boats could be made ready for service in a few weeks.

Also in commission or ready to be called into service are nine small cruisers, three scouts and eighteen gunboats. To re-enforce these ships, which would be a part of the coast patrol, are scores of private yachts owned by Americans and the entire fleet of revenue cutters now in Atlantic waters, which would add about a hundred vessels.

In the event of hostilities the fleet in the Atlantic which will thus be immediately available for service totals 154 vessels of all types. Revenue cutters, private yachts and other craft would add at least another hundred, while supply ships, colliers, ammunition ships and other auxiliaries would number at least fifty, making the total strength of the seagoing fleet about 300 vessels of all classes.

The man who will command this armada is Admiral Henry T. Mayo, commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet. Under him and exercising division command are Vice Admiral De Witt Coffman, Rear Admirals Augustus F. Fecheler, T. S. Rodgers, Herbert O. Dunn and Harry S. Knapp. In command of the reserve divisions is Rear Admiral John Hood, whose division commanders will be appointed immediately when that force is called into active service.

These are the first line battleships which will form the first line of the de-

fense of the United States in the event the country goes to war:

Pennsylvania—Superdreadnaught, 31,600 tons, twelve 14-inch guns, twenty-two 4-inch and four 3-inch anti-aircraft guns; speed, 21 knots; manned by 55 officers and 1,223 men; flagship of fleet; Captain Henry B. Wilson, commanding.

Arizona—Sister ship of the Pennsylvania; Captain John D. McDonald, commanding.

Arkansas—Superdreadnaught, 26,000 tons; twelve 12-inch, twenty-one 5-inch and two 3-inch anti-aircraft guns; speed, 21.65 knots; manned by 68 officers and 988 men; Captain William H. G. Bullard, commanding.

Michigan—15,000 tons; eight 12-inch, twenty-two 5-inch and two 3-inch anti-aircraft guns; speed, 18.35 knots; manned by 49 officers and 744 men; Captain A. H. Seales, commanding.

Florida—Dreadnaught, 21,650 tons; ten 12-inch, sixteen 5-inch and two 3-inch anti-aircraft guns; speed, 20.75 knots; manned by 53 officers and 988 men; Captain Thomas Washington, commanding.

Nevada—Superdreadnaught, 27,500 tons; ten 14-inch, twenty-one 5-inch and three 3-inch anti-aircraft guns; speed, 20.5 knots; manned by 53 officers and 1,028 men; Captain Joseph Strauss, commanding.

New York—Sister ship of the Nevada; Captain S. S. Wood, commanding.

South Carolina—Sister ship of the Michigan; Captain S. S. Robinson, commanding.

Texas—Sister ship of the New York; Captain Victor Blue, commanding.

Utah—Sister ship of the Florida; Captain Frederic B. Bassett, commanding.

Wyoming—Sister ship of the Arkansas; Captain Henry A. Wiley, commanding.

### Second Line of Defense.

Behind these ships in forming the second line of the national defense are the following battleships:

Alabama—11,552 tons; four 12-inch, four 6-inch and four 3-inch guns; speed, 16 knots; manned by 48 officers and 661 men; Commander J. F. Carter, commanding.

Connecticut—16,000 tons; four 12-inch, eight 8-inch, twelve 5-inch and eighteen 3-inch guns; speed, 18.50 knots; manned by 55 officers and 928 men; Captain A. T. Long, commanding.

Georgia—14,548 tons; four 12-inch, eight 8-inch, twelve 5-inch and twelve 3-inch guns; speed, 22.25 knots; manned by 55 officers and 862 men; Commander G. L. P. Stone, commanding.

Illinois—Sister ship of the Alabama; Commander Frederick A. Traut, commanding.

Indiana—10,288 tons; four 12-inch, eight 8-inch and twelve 3-inch guns; speed, 15.5 knots; manned by 49 officers and 66 men, not in commission.

Iowa—11,354 tons; four 12-inch, eight 8-inch and ten 4-inch guns; speed, 17 knots; manned by 41 officers and 622 men; not in commission.

Kansas—16,000 tons; four 12-inch, eight 8-inch, twelve 5-inch and eighteen 3-inch guns; speed, 18.50 knots; manned by 55 officers and 928 men; Captain Benjamin F. Hutchinson, commanding.

Kentucky—Sister ship of the Kearsarge; Commander Douglas E. Dismukes, commanding.

Louisiana—Sister ship of the Connecticut; Commander W. W. Phelps, commanding.

Maine—5,500 tons; four 12-inch, sixteen 6-inch and six 3-inch guns; speed, 18 knots; manned by 32 officers and 37 men; Commander M. M. Tamm, commanding.

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Minnesota—Sister ship of the Kansas; Captain E. H. Durell, commanding.

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Nine Divisions of Destroyers.

Operating with the battleships of the first and second lines will be nine divisions of destroyers, under command of Rear Admiral Albert Gleaves, whose flag flies from the armored cruiser Seattle.

These are the destroyer divisions which, in the event of trouble, are certain to have a role second in importance to that of no other class of warships:

DIVISION ONE.

Smith—Lieutenant R. T. Merrill.

Fluores—Lieutenant R. G. Wallen.

Preston—Lieutenant C. W. McMurtry.

Lamson—Lieutenant F. J. Connerford.

Reid—Lieutenant C. C. Shayton.

DIVISION TWO.

Walker—Lieutenant Charles F. Russell.

Monaghan—Lieutenant John F. Cox.

Perkins—Lieutenant J. L. Smith, Jr.

Roe—Lieutenant Guy C. Barnes.

Stearns—Lieutenant George W. Simpson.

Terry—Lieutenant William S. Nicholas.

DIVISION THREE.

Henley—Lieutenant E. A. McIntyre.

Beale—Lieutenant Charles T. Blackburn.

Patterson—Lieutenant John H. Newton.

Warrington—Lieutenant I. F. Dertich.

DIVISION FOUR.

Fanning—Lieutenant Charles M. Austin.

Jarvis—Lieutenant L. P. Davis.

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## Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

**Saturday**  
D. A. R. Meeting, Mrs. Collins  
M. Sart.

**Monday.**  
W. R. C. Meeting, G. A. R. Hall.  
H. O. O. F. Meeting, I. O. O. F.  
Palmyra Ave. Reading Club, Mrs. Cap.

**Wednesday**  
G. A. R. Sewing, Mrs. Lewis Petre.  
Palmyra Mutual Aid, Mrs. Carrie Cleary.  
Congregational Missionary, Mrs. John Dornhoefer.

**BEAUTIFUL EASTER SERVICES IN ALL DIXON CHURCHES**  
Easter in the churches Sunday was marked by unusually large attendance and beautiful services. The chancels in all the churches were massed with beautiful flowers, expressive of the joy of Easter. The music and sermons alike heralded the glad theme, "Christ is risen."

**St. Paul's on Easter Sunday**  
A capacity audience at St. Paul's both morning and evening rewarded the efforts of both pastor and choir in making the day a memorable one in the church annals. The congregation was the largest in years. The kindly thought for others was not neglected, and each one of the Sunday School scholars brought an egg to be donated to the hospital, the sum total half filling a bushel basket, in which the superintendent later delivered them to the hospital. At the morning service a large number of candidates presented themselves for membership into the church and the communion was the largest during Dr. Altman's pastorate. The concert in the evening was beautiful, and much praise is due Mrs. E. M. Goodsell, chorister, and each who took part. Robert Anderson gave a particularly beautiful rendition of "Hosanna" by Graniere.

**Easter With the Methodists**

The beautiful weather on Easter Sunday made it possible for great crowds to attend all services. The Epworth League convened at 6:30 a.m. Over fifty young folk attended. Miss Helen Rosekranz led and everyone enjoyed the hour. The Sunday school had an attendance of 536. The primary department assembled with the senior department and the whole school was addressed by the pastor. Mr. Robert Anderson sang a particularly beautiful rendition of "Hosanna" by Graniere.

**Easter With the Baptists**

Miss Mae White, president of the newly organized Baptist Young People's Union, led a most interesting meeting last evening. Miss Edna Decker, secretary, recorded the names of ten new members, who were not present when the Union was organized a week ago. The young people are full of enthusiasm and their zeal will make the Union a flourishing factor in the church.

Rev. Mr. Morris gave an address before the union and he spoke with authority as he is Director of Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. work in Illinois. He heartily congratulated the young people for affecting an organization, and urged them to send a delegate to the National Convention which will convene in Detroit soon.

**Easter at the First Christian Church**

The services at the First Christian Church were especially beautiful and inspiring and were attended by large congregations. The church was most beautifully decorated with Easter lilies and carnations.

At the morning service the choir rendered beautiful anthems and other special Easter music after which Rev. Moore delivered an address that was both inspiring and enjoyable.

At the singing of the closing hymn of the morning service several came forward and united with the church; some by confession of faith, others by letter and some by statement.

The address at the evening service was listened to with great interest.

**Easter at First Presbyterian**

The morning service at the First Presbyterian was marked by beautiful music and an appropriate sermon by the pastor. A number of members were admitted to the church at this time. An especial feature of the morning's music was a beautiful duet by Dr. and Mrs. Willard Thompson. In the evening a young people's chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Burdick and Miss Hitchcock gave a number of beautiful Easter hymns and Miss Alice Coppins, violinist, and Earl Sennett, Trombonist, pleased greatly in special numbers. Mr. Stoddard, organist, led each service with the triumphant strains of Easter music.

**At Grace Evangelical**

Never, it is said, has the Grace Evangelical church had more beautiful Easter services than those of Sunday. The morning was given over to the children who exhibited careful training in a delightful and happy Easter program of songs and recitations. George Nevin's cantata, "The Crucified" given under the direction of Miss Bertha Bennett by Grace Church choir was very beautiful and the parts taken by the different members were all beautifully rendered. Mr. Robert Anderson gave "Hosanna" by Graniere and a decidedly beautiful rendition. The pastor had an Easter message for

both services.

**St. Luke's Celebrates Easter**

The three services on Sunday marked the end of Lent for the people of St. Luke's. Rev. Charles P. Ools was here to conduct the services and of particular note was the gift of a potted hyacinth to each child of the Sunday School. The presentation made the service a pretty one. The music as always at St. Luke's was beautiful and impressive.

**Brethren Church**

The children had their part in expressing the joy of Easter Sunday at the Brethren church. The sermons were expressive of the happiness the day brings to humanity.

**German Luther on Easter**

Easter brought its glad message to the members of the German Lutheran church on Easter Sunday.

**At Congregational Church**

Special music and Easter services marked the services Sunday at the Congregational church.

**Sugar Grove Church**

The little church in Palmyra had a very pretty service on Easter Sunday. Dr. A. J. Holland delivered an impressive Easter sermon.

**With Miss Gleim**

Misses Evelyn McCren and Pearl Roessler of Ashton spent Sunday as the guests of Miss Clara Gleim.

**Boyden-Farney**

On Saturday evening, Reuben Boyden of South Dixon and Miss Cora Boyden of Lee Center, went quietly to the residence of Rev. J. J. Johnson, on East Chamberlain street, or the purpose of having the marriage ceremony solemnized by Rev. Mr. Johnson. The happy couple were accompanied by Mrs. Buckingham.

The groom is at present employed by his brother, Samuel, on a farm in South Dixon, and the bride has for some time been employed in North Dixon.

**Both are excellent young people**

and many friends wish them much joy and success in the future.

**Attended Palmyra Services**

Misses Frances Busby, Hope Conkley, Ruth Chase, Marcella Bremmer, Josephine LieVan and Ruth Kerz and Messrs. Harley Swartz, Leslie Coss, Percy Busby, and Joseph Martin motored to Palmyra in Mr. Swartz' car and attended the services at the Sugar Grove church. The Sunday School services marked the close of a contest for membership with Keith Swartz as leader of the winning side. Miss Lawton captained the losers.

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**R. R. PRESBYTERY TO MEET HERE TUESDAY**

**SESSIONS WILL BE HELD AT THE PRESBYTERY CHURCH —PROGRAM.**

**WILL BE BIG PARTY**

The young ladies of St. Mary's men for the big Easter ball they will have completed all arrangements for the big Easter ball they will give at Rosbrook's hall tomorrow evening to which all who attended the Christmas party and their friends are invited. The young ladies have issued no invitations for this event but have extended a general invitation to all. The Marquette orchestra will furnish the music. St. Mary's Guild parties are always bouncy affairs and tomorrow evening's event will be no exception.

**CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY**

The Congregational Missionary society will meet at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John Dornhoefer.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**

**FOR SALE: Reed baby cab; inquire at 416 College Avenue.**

**FOR SALE: The property known as the Michael C. Blackburn Livery barn located at 209 East First street in Dixon, Illinois, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Thursday, April 12th, 1917, at 1:30 p.m. For further information inquire of H. C. Warner, Attorney.**

**FOR SALE: White Wyandotte eggs, \$1 per setting, from best laying strain. A. L. Wilson, 292 Patrick's Court.**

**WANTED: Gardens to plow and team work. My phone number has been changed to Y731. Matt Fauser.**

**FOR SALE: If you are going to set out strawberry plants why not buy the best. Sinclair has them at 50¢ per hundred. Phone Y601. Call at 891 Second St.**

**WANTED: Lawns to rake and care for and rugs to beat. Call John Glessner, Phone R1119.**

**FOR RENT: 3 upstairs rooms for housekeeping, 212 Monroe Ave. Newly papered and painted. Gas for cooking, \$6.50 a month including city water. Geo. C. Loveland.**

**LOST: Tail light with car No. 36594 attached. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward.**

**WANTED: 2 or 3 furnished or partly furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address C. M., this office.**

**FOUND: A fountain pen found on 1st street Saturday has been left at the Evening Telegraph office. The owner may recover the lost article by calling at this office and correctly describing the property and liquidating for this advertisement.**

**WANTED: Waiter, either man or girl at Colonial restaurant.**

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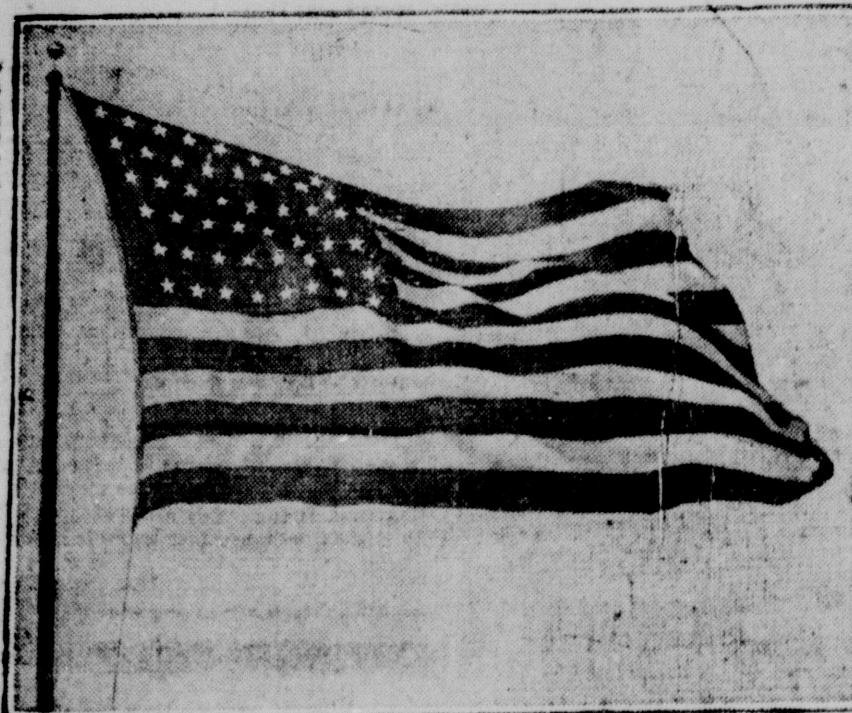
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## FINANCING THE WAR.

Henry Clews says on the war and taxes: Suspense is ended and the United States has definitely entered the war on behalf of democracy and political freedom. That is the one issue which unites all nations against the German government for, as has already been said, it is not the German people against whom we are waging war, but its cruel submarine and militaristic methods. President Wilson, however patient he may have been in taking decisive action, has at last met the situation in bold and patriotic fashion. His address to congress will go down in history as one of the strongest, ablest and loftiest political documents on record, and will rank with some of Lincoln's most revered addresses on great occasions. The whole country is earnestly and enthusiastically behind the president, and this war will undoubtedly be pushed with unrelenting vigor.

Our joining the allies will surely hasten the end. There are some optimists who expect hostilities will end this summer, and not a few are confident the struggle will not last through another winter. Yet it would be a grave mistake to act upon any such assumption. We must prepare for the worst. Germany's ability to withstand siege has by no means reached the limit. She may be feeling the intense strain upon her economic, financial and political system; but nations have often shown ability to wield the sword long after the utmost pressure had been applied. As long as Germany can sustain her armies and preserve their morale, it may be possible for her to be able to hold off her enemies both within and without; and in any event a decisive result seems impossible until settled by conclusive victory. If such an assumption is correct, our government must take up the war in earnest and prepare to send an ample contingent across the Atlantic if necessary to fight with the allies. Our fleet must co-operate, and we can render further aid by supplying munitions and by helping finance the allies whose resources are undergoing a terrific strain.

The administration is considering several plans of financing the war, such as pay-as-you-go as far as possible, a big bond issue for home uses, another for foreign purposes, also the issue of short term treasury notes. Just how much dependence will be allotted to these various proposals is not decided but in any event the war means a big increase in taxation. This, too, is a matter of new legislation. Various projects are already under discussion, such as an increase of the income tax, widening the limit of the same, a surtax on large incomes, heavy increase in the tax on profits, taxes on coffee, tea, sugar. Revival of the stamp tax is certainly most desirable. Without attempting to discuss these different proposals, two or three definite aims should be observed. The burden should not be entirely imposed upon the present, but should be fairly shared by the future. Taxes should be fairly shared by the future. Taxes should be distributed among all classes in proportion to their ability to pay; light upon small incomes, heaviest upon the largest incomes.

## NORTH FARES BETTER

Southern members of congress were replaced by northern men in the chairmanships of a few of the house committees in the reorganization of the body. The democrats retained their majorities in all committees, but allowed the minority one more place on some of the more important committees.

The committees for which new chairmen were named are rules, Pou, North Carolina; rivers and harbors, Small, North Carolina; Indian affairs, Carter, Oklahoma; labor, Maher, New York; education, Sears, Florida; patents, Smith, New York; claims, Stephens, Mississippi; railways and canals, Bruckner, New York; irrigation, Taylor, Colorado; accounts, Park, Georgia; mileage, Dill, Washington; elections, No. 1, Wilson, Louisiana; elections, No. 3, Watson, Virginia; expenditures (in the various departments)—War Department, Dooling, New York; Postoffice, Keating, Colorado; Interior, Hastings, Oklahoma; Justice, Baker, California; Commerce, Crozier, Ohio; Labor, London, New York (declined); public buildings, McClinton, Oklahoma.

Of the independent group who voted for Speaker Clark, Representative Schaff, Minnesota, progressive, was placed on the rules committee; Randall, California, prohibitionist, on the postoffice; London, New York, socialist, on the labor department and expenditures; labor, mines and revision of laws committees, and Martin, Louisiana, progressive-protectionist, probably will be added to the ways and means committee. Representative Fuller of Massachusetts, independent, who voted for Representative Lenroot for speaker, was not recorded any assignment.

## COMPLETES ROUND TRIP

(Associated Press)

New York, Apr. 9.—The armed American liner St. Louis arrived today from Europe, having completed the round trip safely.

## TAKE AMBOY POSITION

Harry Longman has resigned his position at Miller Brothers' garage to accept the foremanship of Geo. Nett's Amboy garage.

## INFANT BURIED TODAY.

The two weeks old child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burrows of First St., died at their home Sunday afternoon after illness since birth. Funeral services were held this afternoon with burial in Oakwood.

## ON THE JOB.

Commissioner of Highways James Penny qualified for the office Saturday and this morning assumed his duties of looking after the roads of the township.

## EIGHT BILLIONS ASKED FOR WAR

## U. S. WILL RAISE THREE BILLIONS

by Taxes.

## TO LOAN HUGE SUM TO ALLIES

Council of National Defense Meets and Formulates Gigantic Plan to Prosecute Hostilities — Gompers Pledge Nation Against Walkouts Such as Occurred Abroad.

Washington, April 9.—The brawn of the United States, more important even than its financial and physical resources, was unqualifiedly pledged to the support of the government.

There will be no labor troubles such as have harassed the belligerent nations of Europe, in the United States during the war. If necessary, all laws limiting hours and working conditions of employment may be suspended for any period.

At the joint meeting of the council of national defense and its advisory commission, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and a member of the commission, made the pledge in behalf of organized labor.

## Finance Board Created.

Official announcement was made Sunday. The council of national defense at the same time announced the formation of a powerful board of economists, merchants and bankers to meet the important and urgent questions of financing the United States' war expenditures and lending financial aid to the Entente Allies.

The \$5,000,000,000 bond issue, agreed upon Saturday, is but a single step in the war budget. It has been decided that this shall be a popular loan and draw 3 or 3 1/2 per cent. The special committee will aid in floating this issue.

## Three Billion in Taxes.

Two or three billions of this money will go to the Entente.

A vast sum, nearly \$3,000,000,000 in addition to the \$5,000,000,000 provided for by the bond issue, is a part of the present war budget, and will be raised by taxation.

The revenue of the federal government are now nearly \$1,250,000,000 annually, and at least \$1,500,000,000 will be added by act of congress.

## LATIN AMERICA IS LINING UP

Cuba Declares War on Germany—Panama and Brazil Next.

Washington, April 9.—Three Latin-American nations have taken action against Germany, two of them openly allying themselves with the United States.

Cuba declared war and seized four German ships in the harbor at Havana. Panama promised assistance to the United States in defending the canal. Brazil requisitioned the fleet and docks of the Compania Comercio y Navigation "for purposes of national defense."

## FIVE DROWN IN FLOOD WHEN BOAT CAPSIZES

## Another Dying after Missouri River Accident.

Bismarck, N. D., April 9.—Five men were drowned and another is believed to be dying as the result of the capsizing of a boat in the flood waters of the Missouri river here.

The dead are: Ed Massey, automobile dealer, of Mandan, N. D.; Harry Barwind, Bismarck, salesman for Gowen, Lenning & Brown, Duluth; J. A. Vale, automobile salesman, Minneapolis; A. A. Von Hazen, grain salesman, Minneapolis; Ned Prentiss, salesman for Minneapolis Drum company, Bismarck.

M. H. Lane of Mandan, the sixth in the boat, which turned over, was rescued by Roy Frost, but is in a serious condition, and doctors despair of his wife.

## NOT A CENT WILL I TAKE

Billy Sunday Opens Campaign on New York Sin Asking War Aid.

New York, April 9.—"This is my answer: I shall not take a dollar from New York. I want you; not your money. Every cent that you give me personally; every cent that New York gives me to keep I shall divide equally between the Y. M. C. A. working amongst the soldiers and the American Red Cross after I have deducted my actual expenses. That's my answer. And I shall give you an itemized account of this money."

This was Billy Sunday's declaration to twenty-two thousand persons who heard and saw him in his first campaign upon the legions of sin in New York. Twenty-two thousand men, women and children crowded beneath the low roof of the great pine tabernacle on Washington Heights and watched that gospel-spurred rider in God's cavalry preach as he has seldom preached before.

## ANOTHER JAIL SENTENCE

County Judge Crabtree this morning sentenced James Sweeney, whose home is "with his hat," to 30 days in the county jail for being drunk on I. C. property at Amboy.

## Quaker Craft-Lace means window grace

## The Outsiders' View of Your Home

Did it ever occur to you that hundreds of people see your home from the outside for every one who sees the inside?

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## SPY CRUSADE ON ALL OVER NATION

(Continued from page 1)

right to compel testimony.

Chicago, April 9.—An invitation to all true Americans to participate in the new war game, "Hunting the Spy," was issued by United States Attorney Charles F. Clyne. He asserted the authorities needed all the aid citizens could give them in apprehending traitorous residents.

"Among the millions of Teutonic descent within our borders are a large number of persons whose loyalty to the fatherland is greater than their loyalty to the United States," said Mr. Clyne. "Most of them will content themselves with condemning their country of adoption for entering the war. These have been warned not to go too far in their utterances; if they do they probably will be interrogated for the period of the war.

## May Do Great Damage.

"Then there are a considerable number of persons whose weak minds can be expected to give way under the stress of great public excitement.

"This class is extremely dangerous. Working alone and without consulting anyone such a person could cause tremendous damage to certain properties by the use of explosives.

"It has been said there are several thousand citizens of the central empires now in the United States who are suspected of being part of an espionage system. They are desperate men, who face death to carry on their work.

"They will be found in every large community. Federal agents know and are watching quite a number of them but those under surveillance probably are but a small per cent. These parasites eating at the nation's vitals are difficult to reach. The co-operation of the public in turning them up is urgently invited."

## Rounding Up "Big Sixty."

Roundup of "the big sixty," men who are to be imprisoned for the duration of the war, proceeds. Dr. R. W. Kiessling, said to be Otto H. Kienle, who was implicated in the Fay bomb plots, is now in custody at Stockbridge, Mass.

Hundreds of arrests of persons less important than the "big sixty" have also been made in many other places, including southern towns where German agents appear to have tried to incite negroes to revolt.

Ten supposed German civilians are prisoners in the Philadelphia navy yard.

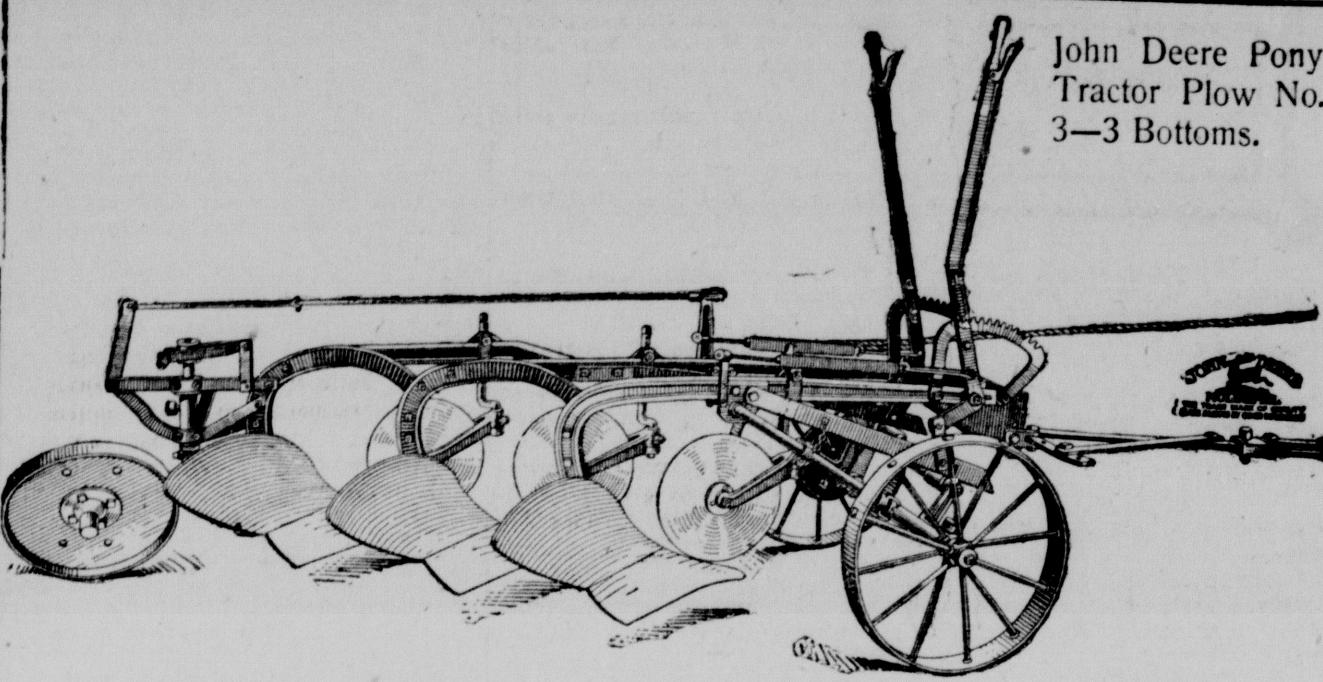
## Other Plotters Arrested.

Lieutenant Colonel Arthur E. Bielowsky, called the "master spy" by the government men, was seized in New York.

Dr. Karl George Frank, electrical expert and head of the company controlling the wireless station at Sayville, L. I., at the beginning of the war, and fourteen others, including employees of the German steamship lines, were taken in New York for "safe keeping."

Men and women—estimated at at least fifty-two in number—were taken in Chicago. In many cases they were released after being questioned and warned.

Arrest in Gary, Ind., of a Hindu said to be involved in the "Indian invasion plot," in which Gustav H. Jacobson, 4200 North Hermitage avenue, Chicago, was arrested Friday night.



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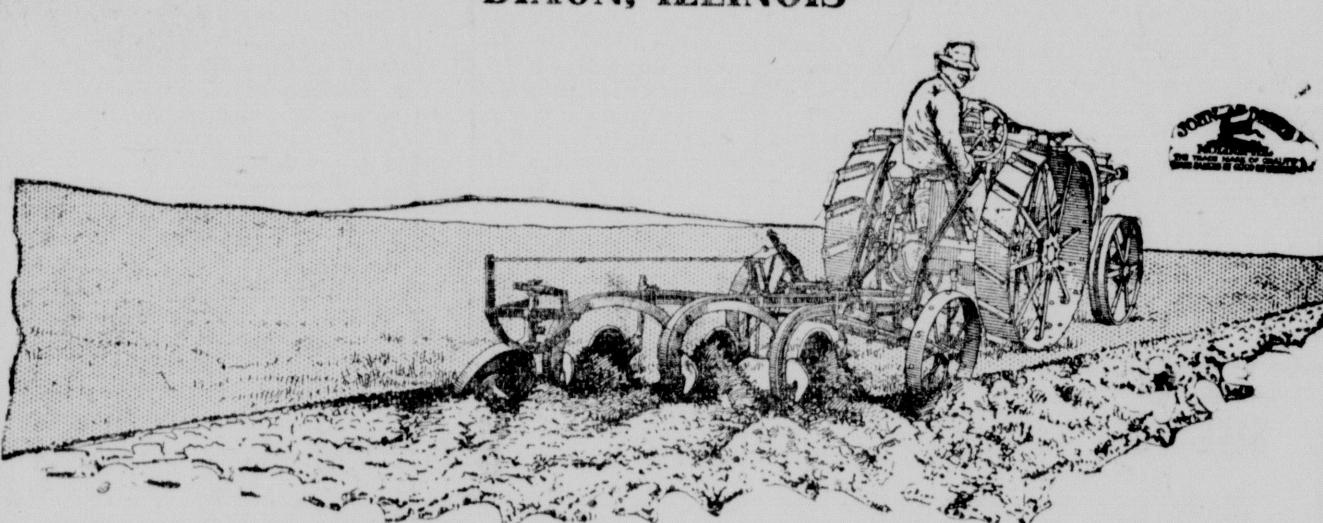
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- 3rd. They can be backed up—stiff hitch makes this possible.
- 4th. Furnished with two, three or four John Deere bottoms—the standard plow bottoms for over seventy-eight years, and there is a John Deere bottom made especially for your soil
- 5th. Equipped with Quick Detachable Shares—only one nut to remove, and it is easily gotten at.
- 6th. They can be equipped with John Deere combination rolling coulters and jointers, which are adjustable to insure good work under all conditions.
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MRS. D. C. HARDEN,  
MRS. FRED MANNING,  
MRS. M. A. HAX,  
HENRY BOLLMAN,  
WM. MOLLMAN.

## LICENSED TO WED

Marriage license was issued Saturday afternoon to Grover J. Hoberg and Miss Mazie Espy of Dixon; Robert F. Forney of South Dixon and Miss Cora Boyce of Lee Center; Russell J. Hoyle and Miss Lela A. Peleton of Dixon; Warren C. Durkes and Miss Susan Cass Steel of Dixon.

## CALLED TO COLORS.

Edwin Baldwin of the Naval Coast Defense Reserve, who has been visiting his mother, has received orders to report at once to the Great Lakes training station for active service.

Morgan Gets \$25,000,000 More Gold.

New York, April 9.—Additional gold from Canada, totaling \$25,000,000, was deposited to the account of J. P. Morgan & Co., \$15,000 being placed in the Philadelphia mint and \$10,000,000 in the United States assay office here. These amounts bring total imports of gold from all sources this year to \$295,700,000, and since Jan. 1, 1915, to \$1,433,209,000.

Franz Bopp, former German consul general at San Francisco, convicted of a plot to invade Canada, surrendered at St. Helena, Cal.

Thirteen Hindus were taken into custody in San Francisco.

A plot to poison the meat supply for the army at the Chicago stockyards has been frustrated by federal authorities.

Little room and provide the housewife with little additions for her table that are most welcome if they can be picked at the right moment without any trouble.

If the small garden plot, however, is to be made to bring the maximum returns in economy and pleasure to the owner, every available foot of it must be made to work continuously. This can be accomplished only by careful planning and it is recommended, therefore, that amateur gardeners draw up in advance a complete layout for their garden. No more space should be allotted to each than is required to furnish a sufficient quantity of the vegetable for the family consumption or for local sale. In many cases, also, space should be left between the rows for the interplanting of later crops and for easy cultivation. Plants which make a high growth and cause heavy shade should not be located where they will interfere with the sun-loving small plants. Perennials, too, such as rhubarb and asparagus, which are not cultivated, should not be grown among plants calling for tillage.

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## City In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thome and son Lester of Rock Falls are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Thome of North Dixon.

Jas. E. Morrissey and family were here today from Harmon.

George Fruin and A. C. Dollemyer were in Oregon today on business.

Fred Dewey of Amboy was here to day.

Our new samples of engraved wedding announcements just received. Just the same as those carried by Marshall Field & Co., though much less in price.

All goods sold by Wolf Chemical Co. are guaranteed to give satisfaction. Sold by Prescott & Schildberg, 79tf.

Charles Burley of Compton was in Dixon today.

Read the serial story in the Telegraph. Start and ask for back numbers.

Reinhart Aschenbrenner of Bradford was here today transacting business.

Brides to be, select your announcements or wedding invitations at the Evening Telegraph Job Department.

Manager Fleur of the Sterling office of the I. N. U. was here today on business.

Officer Joe Brierton of Amboy was here today from Amboy.

Mrs. George Fruin has returned from a visit with her parents in Tam-pico.

Henry Schnell of Ashton was here today transacting business.

John McKinnon of Amboy was in Dixon today.

Police Magistrate Geo. Hines was here today from Amboy.

Artificial legs and arms were in use in Egypt as early as 700 B. C. They were made by the priests, who were the physicians of that early time.

## Odd Habit Among Rooks.

Among the odd habits of rooks is the way that members of the same rookery have of intermarrying generation after generation. The males always choose their wives from among their near neighbors, and if one should be so bold as to bring home to his rookery a bride from a distance the other rooks will invariably refuse to receive her and will force the pair to build some way off. In the neighborhood of big rookeries outlying nests of this kind may always be found.

Waste by Coke Ovens.

Government officials have estimated that 1,350,000 horse power in the form of gas alone is wasted every day by the old fashioned coke ovens of the United States.

## So Sensitive!

An attorney was consulted by a woman desirous of bringing action against her husband for a divorce.

She related a harrowing tale of the ill treatment she had received at his hands. So impressive was her recital that the lawyer, for a moment, was startled out of his usual professional composure.

"From what you say this man must be a brute of the worst type," he exclaimed.

The applicant for divorce arose with severe dignity announced:

"Sir, I shall consult another lawyer. I came here to get advice as to a divorce, not to hear my husband abused!" —New York Times.

## TO SERVE DINNER.

In addition to installing officers at their regular meeting Saturday evening the members of Dixon Council United Commercial Travelers arranged to entertain their wives and lady friends with a banquet Saturday evening, April 28. A program, which will commence at 4 o'clock, will precede the spread.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Nicholas Plein to Elizabeth Apple-green wd \$500 pt lots 1 2 3 blk 15. Dement add Dixon.

Columbus A. Storm to F. Benson wd \$1 pt lots 14 and 15 blk 12 Dement add and pt lot 2 Riverside add Dixon.

Louise Otterbach to Geo. Erbes et al wd \$14,040 nh swq 18 Wyoming.

Andrew Stenger et al to Wm. Erbes et al wd \$51,548.75 sh neq and nh seq 16 Sublette; lots 6 7 8 9 10 blk 8 and lots 7 8 9 10 11 12 blk 12 Ayres Division Sublette.

## MUST SERVE 30 DAYS

Joe Sullivan was brought to Dixon from Amboy Saturday by Officer Joe Brierton and was arraigned before Magistrate Kent for being drunk on railroad property in that city. He was fined \$150 and costs, in default of payment of which he must serve 30 days in the county jail.

## Original "Canary Birds."

Canary birds came originally from the Canary Islands, and were not yellow, but olive green.

## WANTED

We want several more choice farm loans, and if you are in need of money to pay an existing loan, or make an investment, see us. The terms and rate of interest will surprise and attract you.

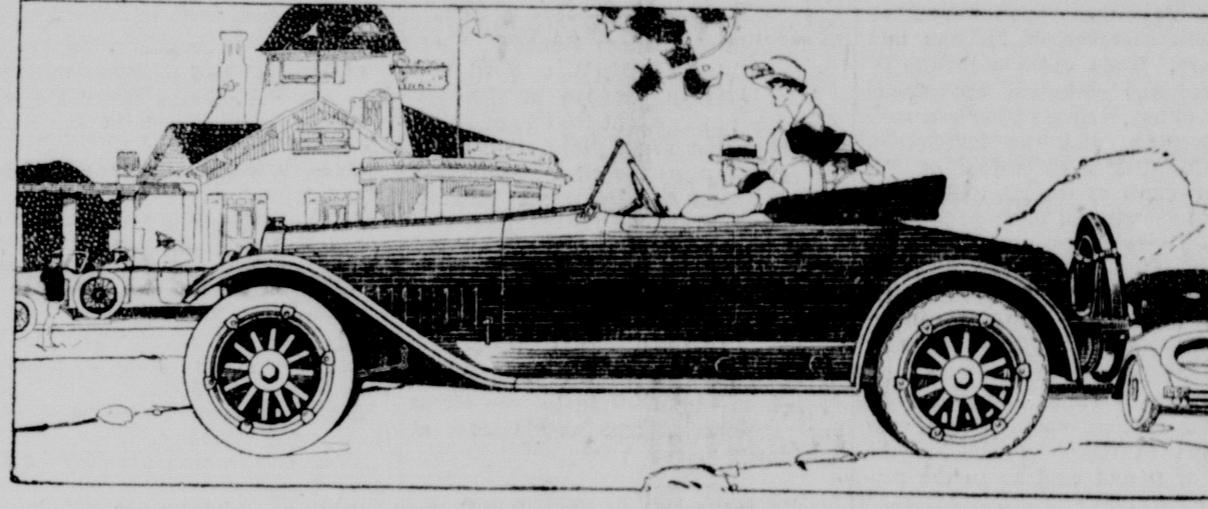
See or write us for further particulars.

F. X. NEWCOMER COMPANY

If a man is really reliable he doesn't have to devote much of his time to exploiting that virtue. You are watched pretty closely, whether you know it or not.

**\$1460.00**

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All sorts of arguments are offered on motor cars today, but people will do wisely who trust a MITCHELL.

There is a degree of Motor Car performance beyond which improvement is at present unpurchasable. That degree is enjoyed to the limit by the owner of a Beautiful Mitchell Six, with her 48 H. P. Motor, and ease and comfort in riding; its form and its appointment are of an excellence to match its prowess. No other car is so complete. No other car at near this price is so handsome or so strong. Over 440 parts are made of toughened steel, all safety parts are over size. Vital parts are built of Chrome-vanadium; Gears are tested for 50,000 lbs. per tooth; Engines for 10,000 miles without wear, and in two years not one Bate Cantilever Spring has broken.

**31 Unique Features! 24 PER CENT Added Luxury! 100 PER CENTS Over Strength!**

This is an able car—silent, pliant and proficient. Appreciably less in cost, a car notable in any company and not to be approximated in quality or efficiency in its price field. A Roomy Seven Passenger Six, with 127 inch wheel base and a highly developed 48 Motor.

Will you call or phone us and we will demonstrate the above facts.

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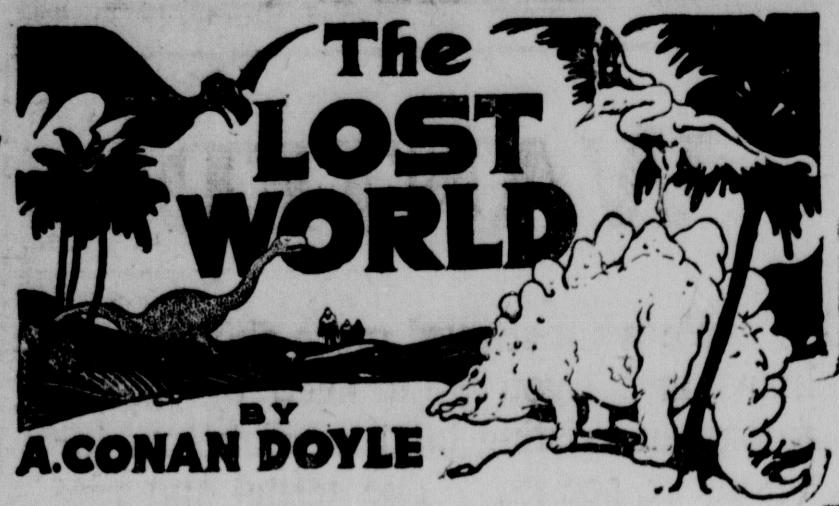
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Mitchell Six \$1460

Cadillac Eight \$2240

Oakland Six \$875



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## SYNOPSIS

EDWARD MALONE, newspaper man, is in love with Gladys Huxton. She tells him the man she loves must do some brave act. Malone gets an assignment to interview Professor Challenger, explorer.

When Challenger and Malone meet Challenger proclaims Malone an impostor, and they have a fierce personal encounter.

Challenger expresses a liking for Malone when the latter refuses to have him arrested. The professor then proceeds to show Malone proofs of a prehistoric land.

## CHAPTER III.

"It's Just the Very Biggest Thing in the World."

**H**ARDLY was it shut when Mrs. Challenger darted out from the dining room. The small woman was in a furious temper. She barred her husband's way like an enraged chicken in front of a bulldog. It was evident that she had seen my exit, but had not observed my return.

"You brute, George!" she screamed. "You've hurt that nice young man."

He jerked backward with his thumb. "Here he is, safe and sound behind me."

She was confused, but not unduly so. "I am so sorry. I didn't see you."

"I assure you, madam, that it is all right."

"He has marked your poor face! Oh, George, what brute you are! Nothing but scandals from one end of the week to the other. Every one hating and making fun of you. You've finished my patience. This ends it!"

"Dirty linen," he rumbled.

"It's not a secret," she cried. "Do you suppose that the whole street—the whole of London, for that matter—Get away, Austin. We don't want you here. Do you suppose they don't all talk about you? Where is your dignity? You a man who should have been regius professor at a great university with a thousand students all revering you! Where is your dignity, George?"

"How about yours, my dear?"

"You try me too much. A ruffian, a common brawling ruffian—that's what you have become."

"Be good, Jessie."

"A roaring, raging bully!"

"That's done it! Stool of penance!" said he.

To my amazement, he stooped, picked her up and placed her sitting upon a high pedestal of black marble in the angle of the hall. It was at least seven feet high and so thin that she could hardly balance upon it. A more absurd object than she presented cocked up there with her face convulsed with anger, her feet dangling and her body rigid for fear of an upset, I could not imagine.

"Let me down!" she wailed.

"Say 'please'."

"You brute, George! Let me down this instant!"

"Come into the study, Mr. Malone."

"Really, sir!" said I, looking at the lady.

"Here's Mr. Malone pleading for you, Jessie. Say 'please' and down you come."

"Oh, you brute! Please, please!"

He took her down as if she had been a canary.

"You must behave yourself, dear. Mr. Malone is a press man. He will have it all in his rag tomorrow and sell an extra dozen among our neighbors."

"Strange Story of High Life"—you felt fairly high on that pedestal, did you not? Then a subtitle, "Glimpse of a Singular Menage." It's a foul feeder, is Mr. Malone, a carion eater, like all of his kind—porcus ex grege diabolus—a swine from the devil's herd. That's it, Malone—what?"

"You are really intolerable!" said I hotly.

He bellowed with laughter.

"We shall have a coalition presented," he boomed, looking from his wife to me and puffing out his enormous chest. Then, suddenly altering his tone, "Excuse this frivoly family badinage, Mr. Malone. I called you back for some more serious purpose than to mix you up with our little domestic pleasantries. Run away, little woman and don't fret." He placed a huge hand upon each of her shoulders.

"All that you say is perfectly true. I should be a better man if I did what you advise, but I shouldn't be quite George Edward Challenger. There are plenty of better men, my dear, but only one G. E. C. So make the best of him."

He suddenly gave her a resounding kiss, which embarrassed me even more than his violence had done. "Now, Mr. Malone," he continued, with a great accession of dignity, "this way, if you please."

We re-entered the room which we had left so tumultuously ten minutes

before. The professor closed the door carefully behind us, motioned me into an armchair and pushed a cigar box under my nose.

"Real San Juan Colorado," he said. "Excitable people like you are the better for narcotics. Heavens, don't bite it! Cut, and cut with reverence. Now lean back and listen attentively to whatever I may care to say to you. If any remark should occur to you you can reserve it for some more opportune time."

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I was returning, my work accomplished, when I had occasion to spend a night at a small Indian village at a point where a certain tributary—the name and position of which I withhold—opens into the main river. The natives were Cucama Indians, an amiable but degraded race, with mental powers hardly superior to the average Londoner. I had effected some cures among them upon my way up the river and had impressed them considerably with my personality, so that I was not surprised to find myself eagerly awaited upon my return. I gathered from their signs that some one had urgent need of my medical services, and I followed the chief to one of his huts. When I entered I found that the sufferer to whose aid I had been summoned had that instant expired. He was, to my surprise, no Indian, but a white man. Indeed, I may say a very white man, for he was flaxen haired and had some characteristics of an albino. He was clad in rags, was very emaciated and bore every trace of prolonged hardship. So far as I could understand the account of the natives he was a complete stranger to them and had come upon their village through the woods alone and in the last stage of exhaustion.

"The man's knapsack lay beside the couch, and I examined the contents. His name was written upon a tab within it—"Maple White, Lake Avenue, Detroit, Mich."

"From the contents of the knapsack it was evident that this man had been an artist and poet in search of effects. There were scraps of verse. I do not profess to be a judge of such things, but they appeared to me to be singularly wanting in merit.

"I was turning away from him when I observed that something projected from the front of his ragged jacket. It was this sketchbook, which was as dilapidated then as you see it now. Indeed, I can assure you that a first folio of Shakespeare could not be treated with greater reverence than this relic has been since it came into my possession. I hand it to you now, and I ask you to take it page by page and to examine the contents."

"He helped himself to a cigar and leaned back with a fiercely critical pair of eyes, taking note of the effect which this document would produce.

"I had opened the volume with some expectation of a revelation, though of what nature I could not imagine. The first page was disappointing, however, as it contained nothing but the picture of a very fat man in a pea jacket, with the legend, "Jimmy Colver on the Mail Boat," written beneath it. There followed several pages which were filled with small sketches of Indians and their ways. Then came a picture of a cheerful and corpulent ecclesiastic in a shovel hat, sitting opposite a very thin European, and the inscription, "Launch With Fr. Cristoforo at Rosario." Studies of women and babies accounted for several more pages, and then there was an unbroken series of animal drawings with such explanations as "Manatees Upon Sandbank," "Turtles and Their Eggs," "Black Ajouti Under Mirif Palm," the matter disclosing some sort of piglike animal, and finally came a double page of studies of long snouted and very unpleasant saurians. I could make nothing of it and said so to the professor.

"Surely these are only crocodiles?"

"Alligators! Alligators! There is hardly such thing as a true crocodile in South America. The distinction between them!"

"I meant that I could see nothing unusual—nothing to justify what you have said."

He smiled serenely.

"Try the next page," said he.

I was still unable to sympathize. It was a full page sketch of a landscape roughly tinted in color, the kind of painting which an open air artist takes as a guide to a future more elaborate effort. There was a pale green foreground of feathery vegetation, which sloped upward and ended in a line of cliffs dark red in color and curiously ribbed like some basaltic formations which I have seen.

"Well?" he asked.

"It is no doubt a curious formation," said I, "but I am not geologist enough to say that it is wonderful."

"Wonderful!" he repeated. "It is unique. It is incredible. No one on earth has ever dreamed of such a possibility. Now the next."

I turned it over and gave an exclamation of surprise. There was a full page picture of the most extraordinary creature that I had ever seen. It was the wild dream of an opium smoker, a vision of delirium. The head was like that of a fowl, the body that of a bloated lizard, the trailing tail was furnished with upward turned spikes, and the curved back was edged with a high serrated fringe, which looked like a dozen cocks' wattles placed behind each other. In front of this creature was an absurd mannikin or dwarf in human form, who stood staring at it.

I seemed more interested than annoyed at my outbreak.

"Round headed," he muttered. "Brachycephalic, gray eyed, black haired, with suggestion of the negroid, Celtic, I presume?"

"None in the world," said he.

"Well, then, I promise."

"Word of honor?"

He looked at me with doubt in his insolent eyes.

"After all, what do I know about your honor?" said he.

"Upon my word, sir," I cried angrily, "you take very great liberties! I have never been so insulted in my life!"

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"I am an Irishman, sir."

"Yes, sir?"

"That, of course, explains it. Let me see, you have given me your promise that my confidence will be respected? That confidence, I may say, will be far from complete. But I am prepared to give you a few indications which will be of interest. In the first place, you are probably aware that two years ago I made a journey to South America, one which will be classical in the scientific history of the world. The object of my journey was to verify some conclusions of Wallace and of Bates, which could only be done by observing their reported facts under the same conditions in which they had themselves noted them. If my expedition had no other results it would still have been noteworthy, but a curious incident occurred to me while there which opened up an entirely fresh line of inquiry."

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(To be continued)

## SHACKELTON ARRIVES

FROM AUSTRALIA

(By United Press)

San Francisco, Apr. 9.—Sir Ernest Shackleton, famous Antarctic explorer arrives in San Francisco today from Australia, where he has been lecturing on his exploration experiences. Sir Ernest had planned to return in March, but so great was the demand for the man who had traveled more than half way around the world to rescue six of his men that he had to stay. It was late in January that he rescued seven survivors of his latest expedition toward the south pole. They were stranded near Ross Barrier.

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## MONEY WASHED AND IRONED BY LAUNDRY

## No Charge Made to Owner Who Thought It Lost.

DANVILLE, ILL., April 9.

Dr. W. A. Surratt of Danville is broken of the habit of putting money in his sock, following the temporary loss of \$55 in currency a few days ago. He is now of the opinion that the "woman's national" is not a safe place, despite the testimony of hundreds of women to the contrary.

The money disappeared in some mysterious manner, and he inserted an advertisement in a newspaper in the faint hope of obtaining some trace of it. He was surprised when called upon the telephone and informed by the proprietor of a laundry that his money had been found after it had gone through all the processes of the laundry.

All the bills, excepting one of the \$5 denomination, were intact, and they had been renovated and nicely ironed. No extra charge was made by the laundry for washing the currency.

WILL DISCUSS Child Plague.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., April 9.

Infantile paralysis, which is expected to reap a harvest in Illinois this summer, will be discussed from every conceivable angle by the Illinois public health welfare association at its first annual convention at Springfield, April 12 and 13.

Engineering Company Incorporates.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., April 9.

Application for corporation papers was filed by the Berry Engineering company of Bloomington to carry on a general construction business; capitalized at \$50,000; incorporators, Clinton E. Berry, Carlton E. Neil and Frank A. Walsh.

Must Salute Flag, Anyhow.

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Close Business Houses.

CLINTON, ILL., April 9.

All business houses in the city closed Saturday night for one and one-half hours, at which time all citizens joined in a mass meeting. Resolutions of allegiance to President Wilson were adopted.

Mayor Hits Quack Reform.

ROCKFORD, ILL., April 9.

Deposing the tendency to prescribe, legislate and circumscribe public utilities," Mayor W. W. Bennett vetoed an ordinance to license street car motormen and conductors at Rockford.

To Make Hog Cholera Serum.

TAYLORVILLE, ILL., April 9.

A hog cholera serum plant is to be located at Taylorville. With this idea in view William Wood & Co., of Kansas City will purchase the Charles McKenzie farm near the city limits for \$14,000.

Missionary Society Gets \$50,000.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., April 9.

The Illinois Christian Missionary Society, of which Rev. H. H. Peters of Bloomington is secretary, has received \$50,000 as a bequest from the estate of Thomas Bondurant of Piatt county.

Will Contribute Radio Operators.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., April 9.

Central Illinois will contribute several score of wireless operators for the government service. All are members of the American Radio Relay League, which now has 5,000 members.

Another Federal Fad Flukes.

MOUNT CARROLL, ILL., April 9.

The postal savings bank at Mount Carroll has been discontinued. Since it was established two years ago but two persons have made deposits. One soon withdrew his account.

Ban on Married Women Lifted.

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., April 9.

In future the Champaign board of education will not bar married women from the public school teaching force. The old rule prohibited the employment of married women.

Bootlegging Expensive Occupation.

BELVIDERE, ILL., April 9.

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**MEN**—Machinists, Blacksmiths, Tool Makers, Machine Specialists, Harness Makers, Tinsmiths, Turret Lathe Operators, Polishers and Moulderers. Eight hour day. Now working ten hours—time and half for over

time and piece work. Annual leave with pay. Ideal working conditions. Apply by letter to Commanding Officer, Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Ill.

**WORK AT THE ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL**

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**WANTED.** Girl at Robbins & Poole Laundry. Apply in person. 83 2

Wednesday with Mrs. John Dongman as

**WANTED.** Girl for general house-

work in the country in family of

three. Louis Bryan, Phone 48500.

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**WANTED:** Competent cook; good

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K634. 80ff

**WANTED.** Girl for general house-

work. No cooking and no washing.

Apply to 623 S. Ottawa Ave. 79t

**WANTED.** Highest market price paid

to all kinds of junk, old iron, rags,

rubber, metal, also hides and wool.

Trading direct with us means more

money for your goods. Call 413 for

your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118

River St., Dixon.

**WANTED:** The parties who borrowed

the large flag from the Evening Telegraph to return same to this office. t 12

**WANTED.** Plain sewing. Address

1321 Third St. 51ff

**WANTED.** Washings, at 1321 West

Third St. 51ff

**WANTED.** Washings to do. Mrs.

Freda Nearing, 1411 W. Third St.

51ff

**WANTED.** Plain sewing and mend-

ing. Mrs. Fisher, South College

Bldg. Phone 12973. 51ff

**WANTED.** Everyone troubled with

aching, tired feet to try a box of

Healo. For sale by all druggists.

**WANTED.** All our advertisers to

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tions. That means honest circulation

and the advertiser knows what he is

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**ADVERTISERS.** Fine chance to use

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tage. "National Classified Key."

Sunday, March 18th, to Sunday

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tate," "Business Opportunity" or oth-

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zer, 2007 S. 5th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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**WANTED.** To buy a cottage at As-

sembly Park. Price must be very

reasonable. Address 156 % Evening

Telegraph. 64ff

**WANTED.** Competent cook. Washing

and ironing done out of house.

Good wages. Phone 79. J. C. Ayres

residence, 421 Peoria Ave. 73ff

**WANTED.** Girl to do general house-

work. Telephone Samuel

Bacharach, at 708. 75ff

**WANTED.** Young girl for general

housework. Mrs. B. Hasselson, 625

Second St. 80 6

**FOR SALE**

**SCOTT'S SEMULSION**  
STRENGTHENS PUNY CHILDREN

FOR RENT. Fine 6 room apartment, all modern improvements, including steam heat. Facing City Park. \$16 W. Third St. Phone Y720. 64ff

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**YOU'RE BILIOUS! LET  
"GASCARETS" LIVEN  
LIVER AND BOWELS**

Best for liver and bowels, bad breath, bad colds, sour stomach.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing sick headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 15-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet, and your liver and bowels regular for months.

Call in Ashton Thursday.

**Wheat Kings Quit Speculation.**

Chicago, April 9—Speculation trading in grain futures on the Chicago Board of Trade will be reduced to a minimum by the entrance of the United States into the world war. Joseph P. Griffin, president of the board, announces that James A. Putten, erstwhile wheat king and multimillionaire, Arthur Cutten and Charles Lewis, two other noted wheat plunger, and other big traders already have practically "ceased" speculation.

**FOR SALE. Improved farms at cost**

of clearing stumps. Show best soil and bargains or pay your fare. Wadsworth Co., Temple Court, Minneapolis.

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**FOR SALE. A double house of eight**

rooms on each side, in good condition; modern. Bath, furnace, elec. and cistern water, gas and electricity. For further particulars call Phone 783.

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**FOR SALE. Land in northeast**

Minnesota, where independence may be had on a few acres by men of moderate means; may even be hewn out of the timber by men whose only asset is their brawn. Wadsworth Co., 525 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn.

55ff

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**FOR SALE. I will sell my modern 6**

room house at 325 Douglas Ave., near Truman school. Also have three fine building lots near there and six splendid lots on car line on Crawford Ave., opposite Hartwell's; part cash and long time on balance. Thomas Young. Phone Y70. 64ff

**FOR SALE. A desirable building lot;**

price reasonable. Mrs. George H.

Squires, 519 E. 2nd St. Phone 783.

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| Pkg. Golden Egg Macaroni or Spaghetti | 10c |
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